

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

United States of America

v.

Case No. 05-cr-148-01-PB

Paul Berube

O R D E R

The defendant has moved to continue the January 4, 2006 trial in the above case. Defendant cites the need for additional time to pursue plea negotiations or prepare a defense. The government does not object to a continuance of the trial date.

Accordingly, in order to allow the parties additional time to negotiate a plea agreement or properly prepare for trial, the court will continue the trial from January 4, 2006 to April 4, 2006. In agreeing to continue the trial, the court finds pursuant to 18 U.S.C.A. § 3161(h) (8) (A) that for the above-stated reasons, the ends of justice served in granting a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

The December 20, 2005 final pretrial conference is continued until March 22, 2006 at 3:45 p.m. No further continuances will be allowed.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Paul Barbadoro
Paul Barbadoro
United States District Judge

December 19, 2005

cc: Jeffrey Levin, Esq.
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United States Probation
United States Marshal